UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT	
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YOR	K

IT'S A 10, INC., a Florida Corporation; and CAROLYN PLUMMER

: ECF Case

Plaintiffs,

: No. 10-CV-972 (RWS)

-against-

Corporation, and F PH BEAUTY
NC., a New Jersey

DEFENDANT PATHMARK
STORES, INC.'S ANSWER
TO PLAINTIFFS' FIRST
AMENDED COMPLAINT

PH BEAUTY LABS, INC., a California Corporation, and FREEMAN BEAUTY, A DIVISION OF PH BEAUTY LABS, BED, BATH AND BEYOND, INC., a New Jersey Corporation; and PATHMARK STORES, INC., a New Jersey Corporation,

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Defendants.

Defendant Pathmark Stores, Inc. (hereinafter referred to as "Pathmark") through its attorneys Cowan, Liebowitz & Latman, P.C. answers the First Amended Complaint in this action as follows:

- 1. Pathmark is without knowledge sufficient to form a belief as to the truth of the allegations contained in Paragraph 1 and therefore denies such allegations.
- 2. Pathmark is without knowledge sufficient to form a belief as to the truth of the allegations contained in Paragraph 2 and therefore denies such allegations.
- 3. As to Paragraph 3, Pathmark admits it has a retail location at Cherry Street, New York, New York; but denies the remaining allegations contained in Paragraph 3.
- 4. Pathmark is without knowledge or information sufficient as to form a belief as to the truth of the allegations contained in Paragraph 4 and therefore denies such allegations.
- 5. Pathmark is without knowledge sufficient to form a belief as to the truth of the allegations contained in Paragraph 5 and therefore denies such allegations.

- 6. Pathmark is without knowledge sufficient as to form a belief as to the truth of the allegations contained in Paragraph 6 and therefore denies such allegations.
  - 7. Pathmark denies each and every allegation contained in Paragraph 7.
- 8. Pathmark is without knowledge sufficient to form a belief as to the truth of the allegations contained in Paragraph 8 and therefore denies such allegations.
- 9. Pathmark is without knowledge sufficient to form a belief as to the truth of the allegations contained in Paragraph 9 and therefore denies such allegations.
- 10. Pathmark is without knowledge sufficient to form a belief as to the truth of the allegations contained in Paragraph 10 and therefore denies such allegations.
- 11. Pathmark is without knowledge sufficient to form a belief as to the truth of the allegations contained in Paragraph 11 and therefore denies such allegations.
- 12. Pathmark is without knowledge sufficient to form a belief as to the truth of the allegations contained in Paragraph 12 and therefore denies such allegations.
- 13. Pathmark is without knowledge sufficient to form a belief as to the truth of the allegations contained in Paragraph 13 and therefore denies such allegations.
- 14. Pathmark is without knowledge sufficient to form a belief as to the truth of the allegations contained in Paragraph 14 and therefore denies such allegations.
- 15. Pathmark is without knowledge sufficient to form a belief as to the truth of the allegations contained in Paragraph 15 and therefore denies such allegations.
- 16. Pathmark is without knowledge sufficient to form a belief as to the truth of the allegations contained in Paragraph 16 and therefore denies such allegations.
- 17. Pathmark is without knowledge sufficient to form a belief as to the truth of the allegations contained in Paragraph 17 and therefore denies such allegations.

- 18. Pathmark is without knowledge sufficient to form a belief as to the truth of the allegations contained in Paragraph 18 and therefore denies such allegations.
- 19. Pathmark is without knowledge sufficient to form a belief as to the truth of the allegations contained in Paragraph 19 and therefore denies such allegations.
- 20. Pathmark is without knowledge sufficient to form a belief as to the truth of the allegations contained in Paragraph 20 and therefore denies such allegations.
- 21. Pathmark is without knowledge sufficient to form a belief as to the truth of the allegations contained in Paragraph 21 and therefore denies such allegations.
  - 22. Pathmark denies each and every allegation contained in Paragraph 22.
- 23. As to Paragraph 23, Pathmark is without knowledge sufficient to form a belief as to the truth of the allegation and therefore denies the allegation that Plaintiffs' products are sold at "defendant Bed, Bath & Beyond stores"; and Pathmark denies each and every remaining allegation contained in Paragraph 23.
  - 24. Pathmark denies each and every allegation contained in Paragraph 24.
  - 25. Pathmark denies each and every allegation contained in Paragraph 25.
  - 26. Pathmark denies each and every allegation contained in Paragraph 26.
  - 27. Pathmark repeats and realleges the preceding paragraphs in response to Paragraph
- 28. Pathmark is without knowledge sufficient to form a belief as to the truth of the allegations contained in Paragraph 28 and therefore denies such allegations.
  - 29. Pathmark denies each and every allegation contained in Paragraph 29.
  - 30. Pathmark repeats and realleges the preceding paragraphs in response to Paragraph
  - 31. Pathmark denies each and every allegation contained in Paragraph 31.
  - 32. Pathmark denies each and every allegation contained in Paragraph 32.

- 33. Pathmark repeats and realleges the preceding paragraphs in response to Paragraph
- 34. Pathmark denies each and every allegation contained in Paragraph 34.
- 35. Pathmark denies each and every allegation contained in Paragraph 35.
- 36. Pathmark denies each and every allegation contained in Paragraph 36.
- 37. Pathmark repeats and realleges the preceding paragraphs in response to Paragraph
- 38. Pathmark denies each and every allegation contained in Paragraph 38.
- 39. Pathmark repeats and realleges the preceding paragraphs in response to Paragraph
- 40. Pathmark denies each and every allegation contained in Paragraph 40.
- 41. Pathmark denies each and every allegation contained in Paragraph 41.
- 42. Pathmark repeats and realleges the preceding paragraphs in response to Paragraph
- 43. Pathmark denies each and every allegation contained in Paragraph 43.
- 44. Pathmark denies each and every allegation contained in Paragraph 44.
- 45. Pathmark repeats and realleges the preceding paragraphs in response to Paragraph
- 46. Pathmark denies each and every allegation contained in Paragraph 46.

## AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSES

## FIRST AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE

47. The Amended Complaint fails to state claim upon which relief may be granted.

## SECOND AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE

48. Plaintiffs' claims are barred by the doctrine of laches.

**WHEREFORE**, it is respectfully requested that Pathmark be awarded the following:

- (a) Plaintiff's Amended complaint be dismissed in entirety;
- (b) Pathmark be granted its costs including attorneys' fees associated with defending the Amended Complaint; and

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(c) Pathmark be awarded any such other relief that the Court deems just and proper.

Dated: New York, New York

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Respectfully submitted,

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